

# BOAT TRIPS

ON THE BOW RIVER

Banff's Grand ✦ ✦

Scenic : Waterway

**T**HE Bow River at the Bridge is too swift for boating, but beginning at the Boat-house, just a short distance above the bridge, a smooth, wide, deep channel extends ten miles, forming an ideal stretch of river for—

## BOATING AND CANOEING

and providing an easy and pleasant route to view some of Banff's best mountain scenery, Motor launches provide a passenger service as far as the river is navigable. The Echo river joins the Bow just half a mile above the bridge and for two miles is a perfect stream for canoeing; clear water, easy current, and nice shady banks. Willow Creek joins the Echo River just a mile and a half from the Bow River bridge and leads into Vermilion Lakes. These three lakes lying at the foot of the Vermilion Mountains form one of Banff's beauty spots. A canoe trip up the Echo River and through the Vermilion Lakes is no doubt one of the most delightful trips that can be taken around Banff and is not at all expensive.

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# **Banff's Beautiful :: :: :: :: River Launch Trip**

## **Passenger Launches**

run every morning at 10:30 ; every afternoon at 2:30 and 4:30.

Round Trip 16 miles. Time 90 minutes.  
Fare \$1.00.

## **Special Evening Trip**

Starting at 8. Return Trip 10 miles.  
Time One Hour. Fare 75c.

These Launches are safe and comfortable  
and carry 30 passengers each.

## **Special Motor Boats**

for Private Parties for hire, by the hour  
or day, with engineer in charge.

First hour - - \$5.00

Each succeeding hour - \$3.00

## **Small Motor Boats**

Capacity 5 persons, with engineer in  
charge, 1st hour, **\$3.00**; each succeeding  
hour **\$2.00**.

For an easy fishing or picnic trip have a boat  
or canoe towed up stream by passenger launch  
and return by drifting down stream at your leisure.

*No rapids or dangerous water.*



## **BOW TEA ROOM**

**Home of Home Cooking**

When you take the most pleasant of Banff's  
Outings, the Boat Trip, call at the

**BOW TEA ROOM**

and have

**TEA, ICES or COLD DRINKS**

From our screened porch you can view the  
finest mountain and river scenery while  
enjoying a

**TASTY LUNCH, DAINILY SERVED**

Call on your way to and from the  
Cave and Basin

We prepare Lunches for Boating, Fishing or  
Touring Parties

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## Motor Launch Trip On Bow River

is one of the best of the Banff trips that every visitor should take. The time required is only an hour and a half, and the price is within the reach of all.

The trip is an ever-changing panorama of beautiful views, mountain and river scenery combined. One of our visitors has appropriately described it as

**"Ninety Pictures in Ninety Minutes."**

The trip affords some splendid views of Mount Edith and the snow capped peaks of the Bow Range, in fact all the surrounding mountains appear to better advantage when viewed from the river than from any other viewpoint.

The launches run four trips every day as per time table on Page Six of this booklet.

Launches stop ten minutes at Rainbow landing, every day trip, and passengers may stop over and return by later trip.

Good fishing near the landing and a fine place for picnicing.

Trail to Mt. Assiniboine starts from landing.

THE BOATING AND  
CANOEING  
ON THE  
BOW RIVER, ECHO RIVER  
AND  
VERMILION LAKES

is thoroughly enjoyed by many thousands of our visitors every season.

The miles of pleasant shady waterways winding through the valley west of Banff are not only perfect for boating and canoeing, but from them can be seen some of the most magnificent views of the surrounding mountain scenery, views that can be seen in no other way. Visitors with cameras, Pleasure Parties, Picnic Parties and Fishing Parties will all find special attractions here, and visitors who are fond of boating will find first class facilities for their enjoyment.

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For a Nice Tea or Light Refreshments

Try

BOW TEA ROOMS

# Bow River Boat House



Over a hundred Rowboats and Canoes of the best quality kept for hire.

Rowboats of all sizes from the light rowing single scull to the big comfortable family boat.

Canoes of all kinds, from the light racer, suitable only for the expert, to the "can't upset" Sponson Canoe, in which the most inexperienced are perfectly safe.

Special Attention Given to Fishing Parties. Fishing Tackle Provided.



## BOAT LIVERY TARIFF ROW BOATS OR CANOES

For one person, per hour . . . .	\$ .25
“ “ “ per ½-day, 5 hrs.	1.00
“ “ “ per day, 10 hours	1.50
For two persons, per hour . . . .	\$ .50
“ “ “ per ½-day, 5 hrs.	1.50
“ “ “ per day, 10 hours	2.50

### Boat Livery Tariff (continued)

For three persons, first hour . . . \$ .75

“ “ “ each additional hr. .50

“ “ “ per  $\frac{1}{2}$  day, 5 hrs. 2.00

“ “ “ per day, 10 hours 3.00

For four or more persons, first hour 1.00

“ “ “ each additional hr. .75

“ “ “ per  $\frac{1}{2}$  day 5 hrs. 2.50

“ “ “ per day, 10 hours 3.50

Any Boat or Canoe later than 10 p.m.  
per hour \$1.

Boatmen per hour, \$1.00; per day \$6.00

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Parties taken through Vermilion Lakes  
by Boat or Canoe, in charge of experi-  
enced Boatmen.

One passenger \$2.00 ; each additional  
passenger, \$1.00. Time, ninety minutes.

Any number taken at any time at One  
Hour's notice.

Echo River, Showing Mt. Rundie, Banff, Canadian Rockies.

